



[From Wednesday's Daily.]
George Huffman ships out one car of hogs, as does also Hobbs & Parker.

Mud Creek ought to be renamed Malaria Creek. The west side people think such a title would be highly appropriate.

A new name for it. The Abilene REFLECTOR says a man got drunk up there on "What we not." That must be it.—*Junco Union*.

Mortuary.

Millard, the eight months old son of George and Sarah Mourer died of cholera infantum this morning at 3:30 o'clock. The funeral will be held from the residence on South Cedar St. tomorrow morning, at 9 o'clock.

Recovered Their Senses.

The three railroaders who have been incarcerated for some time past, in the jail, came to their senses this morning, and are doing good work for the city today, working out their fines.

A Murder.

A shooting affair occurred at 8 o'clock this morning, near the Ellisworth county line, southwest of Brookville, in which one Crawford shot and killed another man by the name of Drew. They were disputing about cattle, where the report states, Crawford drew his revolver, and sent a ball into Drew's head, under one of the eyes, causing instant death. Crawford has given himself up. The shooting is claimed to be a justifiable homicide.—*Salina Journal*.

Big Excursion to Abilene.

At the Real Estate Exchange meeting last night, arrangements for a big excursion to Abilene, and an auction sale of lots, were made. J. D. McMaster & Co. will have the entire matter in charge, and manage everything. The points from which the excursionists will start, are Kansas City, St. Joe and Topeka, and the date set for their arrival here is August 2nd, over the Union Pacific. The T. P. A.'s session will probably be continued to that date.

Death of Sarah Markley.

After a brief illness of but twelve hours, Sarah Markley passed away last night at 12 o'clock. She was taken with cramps, which caused her death as above stated.

She was the daughter of our well known county resident, A. J. Markley, who has our deep sympathies in his hour of affliction. The deceased was aged 16 years, 5 months, and 8 days. The funeral service will be held tomorrow at the Farmington school house at 10 o'clock a. m., the remains being taken to the Farmington cemetery for interment.

Hitch Your Horses.

Ninety-nine per cent. of the runaways which occur is due to neglect in hitching horses. There is an ordinance which covers the matter, and which will be enforced to the letter hereafter. The danger to life, limb and property will be considerably decreased if a few examples are made of those who are, thoughtlessly may be, but nevertheless criminally careless.

Section 2, of the ordinance relating to misdemeanors, reads as follows: Any person who shall leave any horse, mule or team in the streets or alleys of the city of Abilene, without being securely fastened, or in charge of a competent person to care therefor, shall on conviction be fined in any sum not less than five nor more than fifty dollars.

Worse Than at First Supposed.

An investigation into the affairs of W. A. McCormack, of Minneapolis, who disappeared some days ago, shows a worse state than at first supposed. Among the creditors is an Abilene business house, which will lose \$1,800. Mr. McCormack also held monies for various Minneapolis societies, which he appropriated, the largest amount being that of the Woman's Relief Corps, \$90. A house and lot in this city was only placed on record the same day he disappeared, although the deed conveying the same to his wife was carried by him ever since May last. The fact that he ordered three gasoline stoves of a hardware firm, to be sent as gifts to eastern friends, would lead one to think that he was hardly in his right mind.

An Abilene Man Honored.

F. A. Smalley left Sunday afternoon for Stockton, Kansas, where the district court was in session, and made application for an examining committee for admission to the bar. Judge Pratt held an extra session Monday evening, for the purpose of examining Mr. Smalley. Three of the ablest members of the bar were appointed, and after a rigid examination, lasting over two hours, the committee was unanimous in reporting favorably, and complimented Mr. Smalley very highly upon passing such a brilliant examination. The senior member of the committee in open court remarked that Mr. Smalley passed the best examination of any law student he had heard in Kansas. Judge Pratt said it gave him pleasure to hear a student pass such a satisfactory examination. The Reflector congratulates Mr. Smalley upon his being admitted to practice in the courts of Kansas, and for passing such an honorable and flattering examination.

An Abilene Appointment.

Route Agent Campbell, of Wells, Fargo & Co.'s express, "gentleman and a scholar," went east this morning, after spending yesterday in the city. During his stay here he appointed C. F. Estes agent for the company at Abilene. Charles is popular, at all times willing to please and accommodate, and

is fully able to cope with the duties of the office. No better choice, in our opinion, could be made. He will assume charge of the office on the first proximo.

In locating the office of Wells, Fargo & Co. at the C. K. & W. depot here, our citizens will be possessed of a great convenience, and that is the issuance of express money orders, which can be remitted in letters, deposited in bank, and payable everywhere. The rates are as follows:

\$5 or less.....5 cts	Over \$20 to \$30.....12 cts
Over 5 to \$10.....8 cts	Over 30 to \$40.....15 cts
Over 10 to \$20.....10 cts	Over 40 to \$50.....20 cts

An uptown office will be established at N. Mervins & Co.'s, where small packages will be received. For larger ones a storage room convenient to the office will be opened.

A Non-Professional Call.

"Good morning, doctor!" said a reporter of the REFLECTOR to Dr. Oakwood yesterday morning. "How is business with you? How many operations did you perform last month?"

Doctor—"About thirty, all told, twenty of which were of some importance, consisting of one for radical cure of hernia, one plastic operation for removal of a very ugly scar on the face, one for stone in the bladder, one for club feet, two for cross-eyes, ten operations on women, eight cures of piles, two hare lips, and one for various veins of leg."

Rep—"I suppose you often make large fees?"

Doctor—"Yes, when I perform a difficult operation, but my charges are always regular, and often when the patient is very poor I do the work for nothing."

Rep—"Do you get many patients from a distance?"

Doctor—"I am getting a great many from adjoining towns, and a few from adjoining states."

Rep—"I understand you are now prepared to fit glasses?"

Doctor—"I have a complete set of trial lenses, by which I can fit glasses as accurately as any oculist in the United States. The glasses are ground to order in Philadelphia."

Institute Notes.

The institute opened this morning with a good attendance.

The enrollment has reached ninety-four.

Prof. Cook has kindly furnished the class in anatomy his White's physiological manikin. They appreciate it most highly.

The Rev. Humphrey called upon the institute this morning.

C. M. Harger, the poet teacher of Dickinson county, and secretary of the institute of 1886, cast his pleasant visage upon us. We are pleased to learn that Mr. Harger has been employed as principal of the Hope school for the ensuing year.

Miss Newman, one of the most successful teachers of Hancock county, Ill., in company with Miss Seymour of Delphos, Kas., visited the teachers today.

Mr. Dodson the janitor, proves himself to be decidedly prompt and courteous in his duties.

In discussing the senses this morning, Prof. Graham paved the way nicely for the distinction of analytic and synthetic methods of teaching.

The Gazette reporter was with the teachers this morning and extended an invitation to witness their press operated by electricity after 7:30 o'clock p. m.

The members enrolled today are: Diehl Betz, Chapman; Lillie Murphy, Stephens Mill; B. C. Swank, Woodbine; S. M. Leshner, W. L. Leshner, Mary Howard, Cora M. Lott, Abilene; Bertha Read, Sutherland's Mill; Mrs. A. H. Riggs, A. C. Deitz, Abilene.

The First Street Car.

Car No. 1, of the Abilene Street Railway, was run out last night, to try the switches on Second street, and was greeted by a large crowd of interested spectators. Contrary to the expectations of a Salina man standing by, our metropolitan people exhibited no signs of fear, such as the cowboys did in cattle days, one flying through a door and another through a window, when Jim Culbertson, with a stove pipe hat on, attempted to raise an umbrella.

Monsieur Shippe, owner of the road, claims the right to the title of "Colonel Sellers, No. 2," as all will be convinced of when they peruse the following:

He has invented a device, whereby all runaways will be precluded in the future, to those who use it. He intends to have his invention patented, and will sell state, county or territory rights for the same. One "sure cure for runaways" will be placed on each street car, when our readers will have a chance to witness its workings on the mule motive power. The device is simple and effective. It consists of an iron rod fastened securely to the car, and running out and over the mules. At the end of the rod is a pulley and tackle. The tackle is fastened to the animals, run through the pulley, and tied to the brake. When the mules lay back their ears, show their teeth and evince other signs of trying to outrun the car, all the driver has to do is to set the brake, which stops the car, and at the same time winds up the tackle, elevating the mules about two feet from the ground. They can then paw the air until their enthusiasm abates, when they may be lowered, and allowed to step off on schedule time. "There's millions in it! there's millions in it!"

[From Thursday's Daily.]

Hugh, youngest son of Sheriff Miller, is quite sick with a threatened attack of typhoid fever.

The Sunday school scholars of the M. E. church are picknicking in the grounds of the Abilene South Park today.

Dr. Oakwood, who has been attending Morris, the man whose skull was fractured by a blow from a club, at the railroad camp north of the city, says he will recover.

Crushed His Foot.

Tony Welby, one of the C. K. N. boarding outfit, crushed his foot last night, a rail falling on it, inflicting a painful injury. The wounded member was dressed this morning by Dr. Oakwood.

Local Quotations.

Keller & Tisdale quote the following retail prices: corn, 8 to 15 cts.; potatoes, 50 to 75; turnips, 40 to 50; cucumbers, 8 to 10 per doz.; peas and beans, 60 per peck; cabbage, 4 cts. per lb.; beets, 75 cts. bushel; apples, 25; eggs, 10 to 12; butter, 8 to 12.

Handsome Harness.

John E. Bonebrake has purchased an elegant double coach harness of Frank Worley, paying for the same \$100. The harness is genuine rubber, gold tipped, and in perfect keeping with a handsome turnout. In horse and turf goods Frank most decidedly leads the trade.

Police Court.

Thomas Doyle, a C. K. & W. railroad, took a trip to Kansas City a few days ago, returning last night in an undue state of exhilaration. His presence consequently graced the "hole in the wall" last night. This morning he was given an audience by Hizzoner, the usual schedule rates being the outcome of the interview. He is today pounding sand for the city, through a lack of the needful.

Gun Club News.

The gun club will remove its grounds shortly to those in the Henry tract, the use of which has been tendered gratis. The club will erect suitable buildings on the new site. Mr. W. C. Silvey, who has been a member of the organization for the past year, but who has been doing little or no shooting since joining, will hereafter compete, and as he is a crack shot we expect to hear of some big scores made by him.

The New Bank.

Hon. C. H. Barker is expected to arrive in the city the last of the week from Portland, Maine, from which place he will bring his family and household goods, to make Abilene his future home. After his arrival here, the new Abilene National Bank, of which he is president, will organize, and open up its doors to the public in the building recently made vacant by The Kansas Farm Mortgage Company.

After Many Moons.

The record is at last broken. Probate Judge Seeds issued a marriage license this morning to Albert Dushane, of Stitt, Kansas, aged 28 years, and Viola Rolds, of Alida, Kansas, aged 22 years. The dearth of licenses was getting to be a serious matter, and the above contracting parties should have the thanks of the entire community for "breaking the ice." (This figure of speech is a little frigid for this time of year, but it goes.)

He Will Stay.

Some time ago E. T. Ellison sold his residence on Vine St. to C. B. Knight, of Boston, Mass., for \$5,500, as he intended to move elsewhere. Yesterday he bought it back, paying \$6,000 for the same. He has changed his mind about moving away, and will continue to be what he has always been, one of Abilene's best citizens. We sympathize with Mr. Ellison, in so far that it cost him a \$500 note to find out it was an utter impossibility to forswear Abilene, after once becoming a resident.

Institute Notes.

The cool breeze this morning infused new life into the teachers.

The instructors have arranged the members of their respective classes in alphabetical order, and find it a great convenience.

The regular attendance of teachers in their proper grades is more effectually enforced than ever before in the history of Dickinson county Institutes.

Mr. L. P. Main, who represents the New England Publishing Co., called upon the Institute this morning and presented his claims for the merits of the Journal of Education and the American Teacher.

Mr. Reisner, of Ill., watched the workings of the Institute this morning. "Speak distinctly, but not loudly in all your deliberations in school." "Assign your lessons but once."—Graham.

Toms & Rockefeller advertise their business most effectively by furnishing scratch-books free.

The Misses Rugh and Collins, two of Abilene's most successful teachers, were welcome visitors during several recitations this morning.

The study of the National Land Survey, is becoming a very interesting feature of the study of geography.

A. M. Engle, one of the substantial farmers of Hayes township and a man who takes great interest in educational affairs, came in just in time to hear the discussion in didactics.

Miss St. Peter is now the sole performer on the organ. She presides with dignity.

Messrs. Stauffer and Keefe have joined the choir.

Be it remembered that all who feel an interest in education are heartily invited to visit the Institute at any time from 8 a. m. to 12 m., when they will receive courteous treatment from County Superintendent Ford or his subordinates.

AN EPIDEMIC.

A Violent Form of Cholera Morbus at Belknap, Iowa. Prostrates the Whole Community.

A PLAIN STATEMENT OF THE FACTS BY A LEADING MERCHANT OF THE TOWN.

Last summer we had an epidemic in this community in the form of cholera morbus. Nearly ever man, woman and child was prostrated by it, and it seemed to be a very violent form. We tried every medicine we had or could find without relief. I then went to Ottumwa and Blake, Bruce & Co., wholesale druggists, advised me to take home Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I done so and distributed it, and it gave relief immediately, it worked like magic. I ordered more of the remedy at once, and sold it during the day at my store, and at night at my home. I sold as much during the night as I did during the day. The people here can not say enough in praise of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. J. H. Hellwig, Merchant, Belknap, Iowa. Sold by Barnes & Northcraft.

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To Farmers.—We have money at six per cent. Our commissions are liberal. Mortgage can be paid off at payment of any coupon. It is to your interest to see us before giving application. Room 1, over Palace Drug store, Abilene, Kansas. JOLLY & CRANSTON.

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A girl to do general housework. Inquire at 74 west 5th street, Abilene. 39-1t

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We have been in the real estate business for a number of years and think that the largest number of deals are made by trading, and therefore we are prepared to make all kinds of land trades for stock or city property. If you have anything to trade call and see us.

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